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INDIA.

Report from Calcutta—Transactions of service—Cholera, plague, and smallpox—Plague in India and Bengal.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Allen reports, August 6:

During the week ended August 1 bills of health were issued to the steamship *Kalomo*, bound for Philadelphia and New York, with a total crew of 46, and to the steamship *Rauenfels*, bound for Boston and New York, with a total crew of 65. The usual precautions were taken, the holds fumigated, rat guards placed on wharf lines, and the Asiatics' effects disinfected.

During the week ended July 25 there were 9 deaths from cholera, 22 from plague, and 5 from smallpox in Calcutta. In Bengal there were 26 cases of plague, with 25 deaths. In India during the same period there were 621 cases of plague, with 461 deaths.

ITALY.

Reports from Naples—Inspection and fumigation of vessels—Smallpox in Naples—Smallpox in Italy.

Assistant Surgeon Wollenberg reports, August 3 and 10:

Vessels inspected at Naples week ended August 15.

Date.	Name of ship.	Destination.	Steerage passengers inspected and passed.	Pieces of baggage inspected and passed.	Pieces of baggage disinfected.
Aug. 12	Carpathia	New York			
12	Verona	New York and Philadelphia	407	120	650
15	Romanic	Boston	381	140	680
	Total	788	260	1,330

Rejections recommended.

Date.	Name of ship.	Tra-choma.	Favus.	Sus-pected tra-choma.	Sus-pected favus.	Other causes.	Total.
Aug. 12	Carpathia						
12	Verona	23	1	10		2	36
15	Romanic	14		7			21
	Total	37	1	17		2	57

SMALLPOX IN NAPLES.

During the week ending August 16, 1908, 3 cases and 1 death were reported at the health office of the municipality of Naples. From the date of the introduction of the disease, June 13, 1908, to the present, the total number of cases have been 74, with 7 deaths. The general health of the city is speedily regaining its normal condition.

Smallpox in Italy.—Week ended August 9. Martico Nuevo 1, Barile (Potenza) 1, Naples 2, Poggiomarino 1, Pollena Trocchia (Naples) 3.